



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

ROY COOPER  
GOVERNOR

J.R. "JOEY" HOPKINS  
SECRETARY

July 17, 2024

**NOTIFICATION OF AWARD**

Blythe's Mowing Inc.  
1078 Summit Springs Dr  
Flat Rock, NC 28731

Contract No. DN12134498  
TIP No.: N/A  
Federal Aid No.: State Funded  
WBS Element: 14RE.107513, 14RE.207513, 14RE.107533,  
14RE.108813, 14RE.208813  
County: Polk and Transylvania  
Description: ID-IQ On-Call Long Arm Mowing Along Various Primary And  
Secondary Routes Throughout Polk and Transylvania Counties

Dear Mr. Hill:

I am pleased to inform you that **Blythe's Mowing Inc.** has been awarded the contract for the above project based on the bid submitted on **July 9, 2024** in the amount of \$ **193,325.00**.

This was a multi-award contract. The low bidder retains the contract ID under which the proposal was advertised; the other awardees will be issued a new contract ID. All awardees will have a unique purchase number order issued after the contract has been executed.

No performance and payment bonds are required for this contract.

**Documents to be submitted to the Division Office**

Please provide the following documents to the Division 14 Contract Office within **13** calendar days from the date you receive your award letter:

*Mailing Address:*  
NC DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
HIGHWAY DIVISION 14  
253 WEBSTER ROAD  
SYLVA, NC 28779

*Telephone:* (828) 586-2141  
*Fax:* (828) 586-4043  
*Customer Service:* 1-877-368-4968

*Location:*  
253 WEBSTER ROAD  
SYLVA, NC 28779

*Website:* [www.ncdot.gov](http://www.ncdot.gov)

1. A current certificate of insurance shall be provided on the latest revision of the **ACORD 25** form. The certificate of insurance shall verify coverage as required by Article 107-15 of the *Standard Specifications* as well as by provision SP1 G05, *Liability Insurance* found in the general section of the proposal. Endorsements for additionally ensured shall be included for those types of insurances being used to meet the required liability / umbrella coverages. The certificate of insurance may be sent as an email attachment, directly from your agent or from you, or it may be mailed, shipped, or hand-delivered to the mailing address shown in the footer of the first page of this award letter.
2. A properly executed **Execution of Contract Non-Collusion, Debarment and Gift Ban Certification**; this includes all three pages; don't forget the header information on the last two pages. This document shall be submitted as **hard-copy, originals** to the mailing address shown in the footer of the first page of this award letter; it may be mailed, shipped, or hand-delivered. The Execution Forms (Post-Bid) are available for downloading on the NCDOT web site at:

<https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Central-Letting-Forms.aspx>.

Please remember that work on the project is not to begin before the contract has been properly executed.

#### **Documents to be submitted to the Division Roadside Environmental Office**

In addition, your attention is directed to Articles 107-16, 108-1, 108-2 and 108-3 of the *Standard Specifications* relative to prosecution of work, progress schedule and preconstruction conference. Also, in accordance with Article 104-2 of the *Standard Specifications*, it will be necessary for you to submit the name of those individuals within your organization who will be authorized to sign supplemental agreements that may be necessary in the performance of the work under this contract. Information regarding these items should be addressed prior to beginning work. Please forward the remaining information to the Division Roadside Environmental Engineer, **Austin L. Phillips**, as soon as possible so that a preconstruction conference can be held. **Austin L. Phillips'** mailing address is **253 Webster Road, Sylva, NC 28779** and telephone number is **(828) 631-0272**.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (828) 586-2141.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:  
*Jeffrey E. Alspaugh*  
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Jeffrey E. Alspaugh  
Division Proposal Engineer

cc: Wanda Payne, P.E., Division Engineer  
Wesley Grindstaff, P.E., Deputy Division Engineer  
Wes Jamison, P.E., Division Project Development Engineer  
Chris Lee, P.E., Division Maintenance Engineer  
Austin L. Phillips, Division Roadside Environmental Engineer  
Boyd Tharrington, P.E., Roadway Construction Engineer  
Ronald Allen, P.E., Manager of the Schedule Management Office (SMO)  
Steve W. Abbott, Communications Supervisor  
Schedule Management Office